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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Notes for Mr. Bannerman

1. Publicity - At the morning Executive Committee meeting, I mentioned the partial correction on the Boy Scout story appearing in the WASHINGTON POST. Mr. Helms asked that I tell the entire Committee the history of this case and, at the end, stated that we should learn from this one that it is necessary to correct items appearing in the Northern Virginia newspapers with the Washington newspapers since reporters look to the county newspapers for news leads. He wants this done in the future.

2. Management Award for Col. White - Mr. Echols checked with the Awards people and decided that we really do not have enough time on the job to push Col. White's nomination this year. He recommended to Mr. Helms that he be nominated next year instead and Mr. Helms approved this plan.

3. Career Trainee Program - Mr. Helms requested a 15-minute briefing on the CT Program. He does not want a long recitation of history but wants to know where we stand and what our plans are. I asked [redacted] to coordinate the input of Personnel and Training to this briefing and to ask [redacted] to present it.

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4. Secretarial Support to the White House - Mr. Helms said that [redacted] had called him regarding the transfer of [redacted] from his office to [redacted] office. He wanted to know if we have an agreement to provide [redacted] with secretarial support and, if so, to proceed. He said that he did not want to be the case officer on this but called back later to suggest that [redacted] secretary, now working for [redacted], knew the job, had worked there last summer, and was available. I passed this on to Mr. Echols who has been in touch with [redacted] and will handle the entire thing.

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5. Some conversation took place about whether or not we are able to use [redacted] who writes for the WASHINGTON POST. I alerted Howard Osborn to this and told him that Mr. Helms had directed that he be advised if a refusal is received.

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6. Mr. Herschi of the Boy Scouts called and read a statement that the National Capital Council is issuing setting the record straight. Later Col. White agreed to defer writing letters to the Arlington and Fairfax County Boards because the STAR indicates that they are writing to us and he did not want to have a proliferation of letters crossing each other.

7. Mr. Helms said categorically he wants no recognition to be made of his first anniversary as DDCI. He said the DCI would speak for himself.

25X1A 8. Howard Osborn and I asked Mr. Helms how he wanted to handle the [REDACTED] Mr. Helms suggested presenting it at the morning meeting, but suggested that we check with [REDACTED] I sent the paper and 25X1A the photographs to George after talking to him. He thinks the DCI will want a private demonstration. In any case, he is to let me know.

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